

BRIEF CITY-WIDE NEWS

STRIKE AT NEW YORK SHIPBUILDING PLANT

"Heater" and "passer" boys at the plant of the New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, went on strike today when they were refused an immediate answer to their demands for higher wages.

PORT RESUMES PANAMA TRADE

The importation of bananas through this port, which was seriously hampered by the difficulties experienced in obtaining ships to transport the fruit at rates that were prohibitory, because of the war, is again in full swing.

CHILD FALLS INTO BUCKET OF HOT WATER

Edward Goughan, 2 years old, of 224 North Vodge street, is in a dying condition at the West Philadelphia Homeopathic Hospital resulting from scalds received by falling in a bucket of hot water.

LEAP-FROG ACCIDENT MAY COST HIS LIFE

Leap-frog may prove fatal to Frederick Stein, 15 years old, of 1703 Wood street. While playing the game with companions near 63d street and Woodland avenue yesterday he lost his balance and fell heavily to the pavement.

BACK FENCE JUMPER ARRESTED

A man who jumped over two fences and back again into the arms of Lieutenant Charles Boyer, of the Park and Lehigh avenues station, was taken to City Hall today to have his record examined.

OLIVE OIL EXPLOSION CAUSES \$2500 FIRE

A mysterious explosion of olive oil, several hundred cans of which were displayed in a window, is blamed for a fire early today in the fruit store of the Overland Fruit Company, 515 Haverford avenue, which caused upward of \$2500 damage to the stock and building.

GIRL RUNS AWAY FROM INSTITUTION

The police are searching for Bessie Kramer, 12 years old, who disappeared yesterday from the Jewish Industrial Home, 5323 Magnolia street, Germantown.

MAN STRUCK BY TRAIN DIES

The Pennsylvania electric road to Atlantic City claimed another victim in the person of James Zee, 22 years old, of 596 Jersey avenue, Gloucester, N. J., today.

DRIVER OF WAGON HELD FOR BOYS' DEATH

William Clark, 4646 Meredith street, was held without bail today to await the action of the coroner upon the death of William McGlade, 13 years old, who was run down by Clark's wagon Saturday.

HELD FOR DRIVING AUTO WHEN INTOXICATED

Clarence Greising, 623 Darby terrace, was held under \$500 bail for court by Magistrate Beaton in the Central Station today, accused of assault and battery and of operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor.

TWO MEN HURT WHEN SCAFFOLD FALLS

A broken eardrum was among the injuries suffered by George Augustine, 23 years old, of 5th street and Washington street, when he fell today from a scaffold at the Morris street wharf.

RICHMOND CIVIL SUIT POSTPONED

Civil suits against the Rev. George Chalmers Richmond, instituted to compel him to vacate the pulpit of St. John's Episcopal Church, 3d and Brown streets, will cause him no further worry until September.

NEGRO WHO HIT WIFE WITH HATCHET GETS THREE YEARS

Thornton Coleman, a Negro, of 2324 Pemberton street, was sentenced to three years in the county prison by Judge Patterson in Quarter Sessions Court today for striking his wife, Myrtle, on the head with a hatchet.

MAN TRIPS ON GRATING AND FRACTURES SKULL IN FALL

Charles McCloskey, 21 years old, of 2925 Kensington avenue, tripped on a grating in the sidewalk near his home this afternoon and fractured his skull in falling.

QUICK NEWS

BRITISH AIRMEN KILL 44 IN RAID

PARIS, June 21.—Forty-four German soldiers and two women were killed and 137 persons were injured in the recent bombardment of the German military aerodrome at Evers, near Ghent, by British airmen.

GERMANS WOULD EVACUATE BELGIUM, IS REPORT

ATHENS, June 21.—Germany and Austria have offered to make separate peace with Belgium and Serbia, according to the newspaper Messenger. This newspaper says that the Germans have offered to evacuate Belgium and purchase the Belgian Congo possessions on condition that the troops of the Allies shall not be allowed to cross Belgian soil.

PRISONERS TRY TO LYNCH PRISONER

JOLIET, Ill., June 21.—Seventeen hundred convicts, at a given signal this afternoon, made a rush, in an effort to drag "Chicken Joe" Campbell, a negro convict, suspected of the murder of Mrs. Edmund Allen, wife of the State prison warden, from his cell and lynch him. The move was made as the convicts were being marched out of the prison dining hall.

DE WET, BOER LEADER, GUILTY OF TREASON

BLOEMFONTEIN, South Africa, June 21.—General Christian De Wet, the Boer soldier who was leader of the recent South African uprising, today was found guilty on eight counts of the indictment charging him with treason.

BRITISH FACE \$2,500,000,000 DEFICIT

LONDON, June 21.—The British Government now faces a deficit of more than two and one-half billion dollars in excess of revenues. Chancellor of the Exchequer McKenna announced in introducing the war loan bill in Commons this afternoon calling for a supplemental loan of \$1,250,000,000.

VENICE DARKENED AS AIR RAIDS ARE EXPECTED

Guards Ordered to Fire at Lighted Windows.

VENICE, June 21.—Auroras having been announced that the Austrians are preparing to make new air raids over Venice, the military authorities here ordered that windows should be so arranged that light will not show through them.

\$124,000 VERDICT REVERSED

Supreme Court Sets Aside Finding Against P. R. E.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—A verdict of \$124,000, obtained in Pennsylvania courts against the Pennsylvania Railroad by the Clark Brothers Coal Mining Company for damages incurred through failure to supply coal cars, was reversed today by the Supreme Court.

VICTORIOUS ITALIANS ATTACK GORIZIA FROM HILLS WON AT PLAVA

General Cadorna's Troops Firmly Established on East Bank of Isonzo South of Tolmino—Suffer Great Losses.

ROME, June 21.

Fresh attacks against the Austrian positions defending Gorizia on the north are being made by the Italians from Plava, which they took by storm after a brilliant charge. Plava is about seven miles north of Gorizia on the Isonzo River.

The Austrians have begun to bombard the Italian positions at Kordos and Moos near the Helm chain of hills.

The Austrian city of Malborghetto has been set on fire by Italian shells and is burning.

Artillery duels are reported from the Tyrol, Trent and Cario Alps, despite foggy weather and rain.

With large bodies of reinforcements the Austrians are attempting to dislodge the Bersaglieri from the positions dominating the plain leading southward to Gorizia.

All of the heights of Plava are now in Italian hands. In a fiercely contested two-day battle the soldiers of Italy won a brilliant victory and have firmly established themselves on the east bank of the Isonzo to the north of Gorizia.

General Cadorna officially reports that attacks are now being made by his army on the small but important Italian town of Kordos.

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RAWA RUSKA TAKEN AGAIN BY TEUTONS

Continued from Page One. The Russian frontier. Aviators have brought word that several trainloads of heavy guns are moving out of Lemberg. On three sides the Galician capital is menaced. A German column is attempting an encircling movement from Rawa Ruska.

ALLIES' LINES SHELLED HEAVILY BY TURKS

Heavy Losses of Dardanelles Besiegers Reported.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 21.—Shelling of the Anglo-French positions in the Dardanelles sphere of operations is reported in the following official statement, issued by the Turkish War Office today:

"Our artillery on Thursday shelled a wireless apparatus of the Allies, killing most of the men who were working it. On the following day we shelled the enemy's left wing, causing him heavy losses. In order to protect himself from our heavy batteries, he was also shelled by German batteries."

RUSSIA IN FULL RETREAT BEFORE THREEFOLD DRIVE

Bombardment on Outer Parts of Lemberg Under Way.

BERLIN, June 21.—The climax of the great Austro-German campaign against the Russians in Galicia has been reached with the onset of a bombardment against the forts defending Lemberg (Lvov). The armies of the Teutonic allies are driving against Lemberg from the north, west and south.

Dispatches from the Galician front state that the Russians are in retreat along the line, following their defeat at Grodek and Magerow and on the Wereszka River front.

SLAVS FIGHT FOR LEMBERG ALONG 35-MILE SEMICIRCLE

Russia's Ammunition Shortage Aids Advancing Foe.

PETROGRAD, June 21.—A great battle for the possession of Lemberg is going on over a semicircular front, 35 miles long, with the Germans and Austrians using every resource at their command against the Russians.

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RUMANIA'S ENTRANCE INTO WAR QUESTION OF HOURS, SAYS SERVIAN

Premier Pasich Declares Peace That Will Mean End of Austria Is Nearer at Hand Than Is Believed.

ROME, June 21.

The Giornale d'Italia prints an interview with Premier Pasich, of Serbia, at Nish, in which he says Rumanian intervention in the war is merely a question of hours.

He adds that peace is nearer than expected and that peace will mean the end of Austria.

Regarding Italy and Serbia, he says: "The relations must be most friendly. Serbia needs Italy, her civilization and her progress, that she may expand beyond, living her life according to her national aspirations. On her other hand, Italian industries need the Serbian market. Neither country has imperialistic ambition. They wish to live and let others live."

PARIS, June 21.

News reaches Paris from Vienna that Emperor Franz Joseph again is being explored by Count Andrássy and German diplomats to give up territory to the threatening neutrals without making them fight for it.

The Emperor is backed by the military party after his refusal to satisfy the Italian claims, and they are now stiffening his back against insistent appeals to give Bukovina to Rumania and accord home rule to Transylvania.

MIDSHIPMAN SAYS HE SAW TYPEWRITTEN SHEET IN USE

Naval Academy Witness Declares Accused Man Instructed Students.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 21.—The testimony produced by Judge Advocate Watts today before the Court of Inquiry into the charges against a student at the Naval Academy had direct bearing on the question of whether the seven original defendants actually had seen the advance copies of the examination, an essential point which so far has not been strongly established by the testimony.

Midshipman W. R. Nichols, of last year's fourth class, testified that he had seen Midshipman Ralph Nelson, one of the accused, instruct a number of fourth class men from a typewritten sheet. This is important to the Government, as tending to show that Nelson used the questions for the lower class after he knew that the examinations which also had been obtained from Midshipman Jones were actual examinations from the upper classes.

Nichols said Midshipman Fitzpatrick had shown him sentences to be translated which he supposed had been received from Nelson because of having seen Nelson instruct the underclassmen from the typewritten sheet.

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"EQUAL RIGHTS" BILL VETOED

Governor Disapproves Measure Penalizing Amusement and Hotel Proprietors.

Announcement has been made in Harrisburg that Governor Brumbaugh has vetoed the "equal rights" bill, which would have placed heavy penalties on the proprietors of hotels, restaurants and amusement houses for discrimination on cause of race, color or creed. In his veto the Governor said that existing law guarantees equal rights. Other important bills vetoed by the Governor include:

A drastic bill to give the Director of Public Safety in Philadelphia extraordinary powers of arrest and commitment of aliens.

A bill to provide additions to the staff of the State Fire Marshal. This bill had the support of the Vares.

A bill to provide for State supervision of the inspectors of weights and measures.

NEGRO SUFFRAGE SUSTAINED

Maryland State Laws Must Not Interfere With Rights, Court Holds.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Negro citizens of Maryland must be allowed to vote in State and municipal elections without interference from State laws that discriminate against their race, the Supreme Court today decided.

The court held void the Maryland statute discriminating against Negroes.

Opposes License at Spring Lake

TRENTON, June 21.—Ex-Governor John Franklin Fort today secured a writ of certiorari from the Supreme Court for a review of the action of Judge Rufus V. Lawrence, of the Monmouth County Common Pleas Court, in granting liquor license to Charles W. Smmons, Jr., at Spring Lake. This is the latest step of the former executive in his fight against the granting of the license.

Turks' Agents to Tripoli Seized

PARIS, June 21.—A French torpedo-boat captured between Cape Matapan, Greece, and Crete, a small Greek sailing vessel which was carrying Turkish papers and carrying a number of Turkish officers sent by Enver Pasha to Tripoli to carry gifts to the Senoussi tribe.

Sails to Join Red Cross Work

Allyn Ryerson Jennings, son of Ryerson W. Jennings, proprietor of the Little Hotel Wilmet, of this city, sails from New York today for France, there to join the American Red Cross. He will sail in company with fellow graduates of Harvard University, from which he received a degree this year.

Sends Dogs by Parcel Post

BELLEVILLE, Pa., June 21.—The postmaster of Middleburg near here, has sent two live puppy dogs to B. Frank Fisher, at Lewisport. The dogs were sent by James Greene, of Penn's Creek.

Red Pepper Catches Thief

NEW YORK, June 21.—Hearing a burglar in the dumbwaiter shaft, Mrs. Lena Halsey, of 141 West 134 street, emptied a package of red pepper down on George J. Jackson, who, blinded, was easily captured.

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MANY SEARCH FOR DEAD AT ATLANTIC CITY

Continued from Page One. Reno street, drowned in Delaware below Gloucester City, N. J. MAX BRODIE, 21 years old, 75th street and Bertram avenue, drowned at Sandy Beach. HERMAN L. ROBERTS, 2327 Clifford street, drowned in Sandy Hook.

THEODORE GEORGE, 2412 South Street, drowned at Wildwood, N. J. M. COHEN, 9 years old, drowned at Sitewton.

ALFRED MARTIN, 128 West Lehigh avenue